

113TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 2269

To amend title I of the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 to allow funds provided under the Matching Grant Program for School Security to be used to improve information sharing between law enforcement and schools, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JUNE 5, 2013

Mr. MICHAUD introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Multi-Hazard School
5 Disaster Planning and Response Act of 2013”.

1 **SEC. 2. EXPANDING PERMISSIBLE USES OF FUNDS UNDER**
2 **THE MATCHING GRANT PROGRAM FOR**
3 **SCHOOL SECURITY TO IMPROVE INFORMA-**
4 **TION SHARING BETWEEN LAW ENFORCE-**
5 **MENT AND SCHOOLS.**

6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 2701 of title I of the Om-
7 nibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42
8 U.S.C. 3797a(b)) is amended—

9 (1) in subsection (b)—

10 (A) by redesignating paragraph (5) as
11 paragraph (6); and

12 (B) by inserting after paragraph (4) the
13 following new paragraph:

14 “(5) Any law enforcement and school informa-
15 tion sharing activity described in subsection (g)(1).”;
16 and

17 (2) by adding at the end the following new sub-
18 section:

19 “(g) LAW ENFORCEMENT AND SCHOOL INFORMA-
20 TION SHARING ACTIVITIES.—

21 “(1) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of subsection
22 (b)(5), a law enforcement and school information
23 sharing activity described in this paragraph is any of
24 the following activities conducted in accordance with
25 paragraphs (3) and (4):

1 “(A) Establishing or improving an elec-
2 tronic data management system for the purpose
3 of sharing specified emergency response plan
4 data with first responders.

5 “(B) Assisting local law enforcement and
6 local schools with costs associated with col-
7 lecting information on, evaluating, updating,
8 and digitizing specified emergency response
9 plan data and making such plans electronically
10 available to local dispatch centers and first re-
11 sponders through mobile data terminals and
12 mobile data computers.

13 “(C) Enabling law enforcement to consult
14 with schools to develop emergency plans, includ-
15 ing specified emergency response plan data, in
16 order to ensure such plans are comprehensive,
17 complete, and current.

18 “(2) SPECIFIED EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN
19 DATA.—For purposes of paragraph (1), the term
20 ‘specified emergency response plan data’ means,
21 with respect to a school, emergency plan and re-
22 sponse information, as specified by the Attorney
23 General, for such school—

24 “(A) that includes floor plans, aerial and
25 internal photographs, and key emergency con-

1 tact information for administrative personnel,
2 custodial staff, and relevant service vendors for
3 such school; and

4 “(B) that is to be shared, in accordance
5 with paragraph (3), with only first responders.

6 “(3) DISSEMINATION OF DATA.—Any specified
7 emergency response plan data that is disseminated
8 through a law enforcement and school information
9 sharing activity for which funds are made available
10 under this part shall be so disseminated only to a
11 local dispatch center for first responders through an
12 electronic means and for purposes of being made
13 available to mobile data terminals or mobile data
14 computers of first responders.

15 “(4) REVIEW AND UPDATE OF DATA.—Any
16 specified emergency response plan data that is dis-
17 seminated through a law enforcement and school in-
18 formation sharing activity for which funds are made
19 available under a grant under this part shall be an-
20 nually reviewed by the State, unit of local govern-
21 ment, or Indian tribe receiving such grant and up-
22 dated as necessary.”.

23 (b) PREFERENTIAL CONSIDERATION FOR APPLICA-
24 TIONS FOR NEW AUTHORIZED USES.—Section 2701(e) of
25 such Act (42 U.S.C. 3797a(c)) is amended—

1 (1) by striking “CONSIDERATION.—In award-
2 ing” and inserting the following: “CONSIDER-
3 ATIONS.—

4 “(1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to paragraph (2),
5 in awarding”; and

6 (2) by adding at the end the following new
7 paragraph:

8 “(2) PREFERENTIAL CONSIDERATION FOR AP-
9 PLICATIONS FOR INFORMATION SHARING PUR-
10 POSES.—In awarding grants under this part for a
11 use described in subsection (b)(5), the Director shall
12 give preferential consideration, if feasible, to an ap-
13 plication from a jurisdiction that demonstrates the
14 activity for which the grant will be used will cover
15 a significant number of schools, demonstrates such
16 jurisdiction uses (or will use such grant to develop)
17 an electronic record management system that is
18 compatible across multiple jurisdictions, or dem-
19 onstrates community interest with respect to such
20 activity for which the grant will be used.”.

21 (c) FUNDING.—

22 (1) REAUTHORIZATION OF PROGRAM.—Section
23 2705 of such Act (42 U.S.C. 3797e) is amended by
24 striking “2001 through 2009” and inserting “2014
25 through 2017”.

1 (2) ADDITIONAL AUTHORIZATION FOR FUNDS
2 FOR NEW AUTHORIZED USES.—Such section is fur-
3 ther amended by adding at the end the following
4 new sentence: “In addition to the amounts author-
5 ized to be appropriated under the previous sentence
6 for a fiscal year, there is authorized to be appro-
7 priated for grants under this part for a use de-
8 scribed in section 2701(b)(5), \$10,000,000 for each
9 of fiscal years 2014 through 2017.”.

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